Manufacturers' Accountability Project
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Municipal and State Driven Climate Change Litigation Against Manufacturers

Where each case stands:

Lawsuit	Date Filed	Lead Plaintiff(s) Counsel	Number of Defendants	Primary Claim(s)	Status
Annapolis v. BP P.L.C., et al.	2/22/21	Sher Edling LLP	26	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Stayed pending a decision from the 4th Circuit in Baltimore v. BP P.L.C., et al.
Anne Arundel County v. BP P.L.C, et al.	4/26/21	Sher Edling LLP	26	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Stayed pending a decision from the 4th Circuit in Baltimore v. BP P.L.C., et al.
Baltimore v. BP P.L.C., et al.	7/20/18	Sher Edling LLP	26	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Awaiting a new decision from the 4th Circuit on the District Court's order granting the municipality's motion to remand the case back to state court. State court proceedings stayed pending resolution in the 4th Circuit.
Beyond Pesticides v. Exxon Mobil Corp.	5/15/20	Richman Law Group	1	Consumer Protection	The defendant's petition requesting to appeal a lower court's decision remanding the case back to state court was denied by the D.C. Circuit in April 2021.
Boulder et al. v. Suncor Energy (U.S.A.) Inc., et al.	4/17/18	The Hannon Law Firm, LLC	2	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Awaiting a new decision from the 10th Circuit on the district court's order granting the municipalities' motion to remand the case. In state court, awaiting a decision on the defendants' motions to dismiss.
Charleston v. Brabham Oil Company, Inc.	9/9/20	Sher Edling LLP	24	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Stayed pending a decision from the 4th Circuit in Baltimore v. BP P.L.C., et al.
Connecticut v. Exxon Mobil Corporation	9/14/20	Connecticut Office of the Attorney General	1	Consumer Protection	Defendant appealing a lower court's remand order to the 2nd Circuit. Remand order stayed pending appeal.
Delaware v. BP America Inc., et al.	9/10/20	Sher Edling LLP	31	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Awaiting a decision on the state's motion to remand the case back to state court.
District of Columbia v. Exxon Mobil Corp., et al.	6/25/20	Sher Edling LLP	8	Consumer Protection	Awaiting a decision on the District's motion to remand the case back to state court.
Hoboken v. Exxon Mobil Corp., et al.	9/2/20	Krovatin Nau LLC	13	Public Nuisance, Consumer Protection	Defendants appealing district court's remand decision to the 2nd Circuit. Awaiting a trial court's decision on the motion to stay proceedings.
Honolulu v. Sunoco LP, et al.	3/9/20	Sher Edling LLP	19	Public Nuisance	Companies appealing a lower court's remand order to the 9th Circuit; oral arguments tentatively scheduled for Feb 2022. In state court, a hearing on the companies' motions to dismiss was held Aug 27.
King County v. BP P.L.C., et al.	5/9/18	Hagens Berman Sobol Shapiro LLP	5	Public Nuisance	Plaintiff voluntarily dismissed the case in Sept 2021.
Massachusetts v. Exxon Mobil Corp.	10/24/19	Office of the Massachusetts Attorney General	1	Investor Deception, Consumer Protection	Defendant appealing ruling on anti-SLAPP motion. Case proceeding in state court.
Maui County v. Sunoco, et al.	10/12/20	Sher Edling LLP	20	Public Nuisance	Companies appealing a lower court's remand order to the 9th Circuit. Defendants' motion to stay the remand pending their appeal was denied; case proceeding in state court.
Minnesota v. American Petroleum Institute, et al.	6/24/20	Sher Edling LLP	6	Consumer Protection	Defendants appealing the district court's remand order to the 8th Circuit. Case stayed in state court pending appellate review.
New York City v. BP P.L.C., et al.	1/9/18	Hagens Berman Sobol Shapiro LLP	5	Public Nuisance	The 2nd Circuit affirmed a lower court's dismissal of the case in April 2021. The city chose not to appeal the ruling, thereby ending the lawsuit for good.
New York City v. Exxon Mobil Corp., et al.	4/22/21	Sher Edling LLP	7	Consumer Protection	Case stayed pending the 2nd Circuit's decision in *Connecticut v. Exxon Mobil*
Oakland v. BP P.L.C., et al.	9/19/17	Sher Edling LLP	5	Public Nuisance	Awaiting a decision from a California federal district court on whether it finds other grounds for federal jurisdiction.
Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Associations, Inc. v. Chevron Corp., et al.	11/14/18	Sher Edling LLP	30	Public Nuisance	Stayed pending the next decisions in Oakland v. BP P.L.C., et al. and San Mateo v. Chevron Corporation, et al. Case management conference scheduled for June 2022.
Rhode Island v. Shell Oil Products Company, LLC, et al.	7/2/18	Sher Edling LLP	21	Public Nuisance	Awaiting a new decision from the 1st Circuit on the federal district court's order granting the state's motion to remand the case back to state court. Case stayed in state court pending resolution of personal jurisdiction cases before RI Supreme Court.
San Mateo v. Chevron Corporation, et al.	7/17/17	Sher Edling LLP	37	Public Nuisance	Awaiting a new decision from the 9th Circuit on the district court's order granting the municipalities' motion to remand the case back to state court. Remand order stayed pending 9th Circuit ruling.
Vermont v. Exxon Mobil Corp, et al.	9/14/21	Office of the Vermont Attorney General	12	Consumer Protection	Case removed to state court on Oct 22. Motion to remand filed by plaintiffs on Nov 22.